

Maine

Retail Sales Quarterly Report

FOURTH QUARTER 2007

CONTENTS

Introduction	1
Total Taxable Sales	2
Sales by Store Type	4
Definitions:	
Economic Summary Areas	14
Store Types	18

Report based on Maine Revenue Service data as of 11/19/2007

INTRODUCTION

This report contains data on taxable Maine retail sales, as derived from state sales tax collections. The Maine State Planning Office uses data from Maine Revenue Services to produce this report.

These data represent sales, not the amount of tax revenue collected. Sales are categorized by the type of store in which they take place, not by the type of product sold. For example, sales of kitchen utensils at a supermarket appear under "food store sales" rather than "general merchandise."

"Consumer Retail Sales" are the sum of sales to the six store-type groups (building supply, general merchandise, etc.). "Total Retail Sales" are the sum of Consumer Retail Sales and "Business Operating Sales," a special category not published in these pages. "Business Operating Sales" include utility sales and heating oil sold to commercial and industrial establishments. Thus, Consumer Retail Sales more accurately describe what most people regard as retail sales.

When interpreting the tables in this report, readers should keep in mind that food intended for home consumption is not taxed in Maine. Data on food store sales reflect sales of non-food items. These items typically represent about 25% of actual total sales in food stores.

The Maine Revenue Service does not release sales data when the sales for a specific business can be identified. For each month data is withheld to protect taxpayer confidentiality, the corresponding previous or current month is also excluded from percentage calculation. If the sales in all months within a quarter are withheld, the percentage is marked by 'ND' for Non-Disclosure.

If you have questions about this report, please contact David Douglass at the Maine State Planning Office (207-287-1478 or david.douglass@maine.gov).

**MAINE TAXABLE SALES
(THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)**

SUMMARY TABLE 1: QUARTERLY % CHANGE

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	PERCENT CHANGE FROM 4TH QUARTER 2006 TO 4TH QUARTER 2007*									
	Total Sales	Consumer Sales	Bldg. Supply	Food Stores	General Mdse.	Other Retail	Auto Stores	Rest.& Lodging	Restau- rants	Lodging
STATE TOTAL	0.1	-0.9	-3.5	1.0	-0.5	1.0	-2.0	0.1	-1.4	7.2
FARMINGTON	-1.9	-0.4	2.1	-5.7	0.8	-3.1	-0.8	1.3	1.1	3.4
LEWISTON	-2.9	-3.9	-9.0	2.1	-4.8	-9.2	1.8	-2.4	-3.1	6.1
LEWISTON SUB	-0.3	-6.5	-28.7	5.0	2.8	-26.2	-2.1	4.4	6.4	-16.6
LIVERMORE	-12.5	-14.3	-8.8	-3.1	-47.9	-36.4	-12.5	-12.7	-15.6	388.6
PARIS	-4.7	-5.5	-4.3	-7.9	-4.3	-13.0	-7.8	2.4	2.9	-0.7
RANGELEY	1.3	3.3	-4.7	-1.9	24.6	9.9	18.8	10.8	7.2	15.7
RUMFORD	3.0	-0.5	-20.2	3.1	8.2	-12.6	-2.1	6.9	7.8	5.3
ANDROSCOGGIN	-2.5	-3.6	-9.2	0.0	-2.9	-9.6	-0.4	0.7	-0.3	6.9
PORTLAND	-2.3	-2.8	-4.0	4.7	-4.1	-5.8	-3.3	0.9	-1.3	12.6
PORTLAND SUB	-1.1	-0.1	25.5	1.0	-8.0	1.6	-0.8	-1.3	-3.1	5.5
SEBAGO LAKE	-0.9	-3.5	-7.7	-0.1	0.9	3.5	-9.9	-4.5	-5.0	0.9
CUMBERLAND	-1.8	-2.1	-0.3	2.8	-4.7	-2.2	-3.3	-0.1	-2.0	10.0
BAR HARBOR	11.2	10.5	0.2	4.3	-5.6	-0.1	86.9	8.2	12.2	4.3
BLUE HILL	1.3	-1.9	3.0	1.3	-3.2	-18.5	-33.2	-11.3	-20.3	4.8
CALAIS	-2.5	-2.3	-1.7	2.3	-0.5	-8.0	-18.9	-1.4	-3.0	7.2
EASTPORT	-1.3	-1.1	30.1	-2.6	7.9	-43.8	16.6	3.7	-1.7	18.7
ELLSWORTH	-3.0	-4.2	-4.0	-5.1	3.9	-3.4	-12.9	-1.9	-5.6	15.4
JONESPORT	-6.5	-7.9	-17.7	5.7	-10.8	24.0	-11.0	-12.8	-17.5	0.2
MACHIAS	-0.6	0.1	7.8	3.2	25.3	-6.9	-17.1	-9.0	-10.4	-0.1
EASTERN ME	-0.2	-1.1	-2.4	-0.6	2.4	-4.6	-6.1	1.6	-0.8	6.3
AUGUSTA	0.8	-1.1	1.1	-5.3	0.1	9.3	-6.4	2.0	1.1	10.9
JACKMAN	6.6	-1.9	8.8	-10.1	-7.4	-6.4	-0.5	-6.1	-16.0	0.7
PITTSFIELD	11.7	10.6	64.3	8.7	0.1	-0.3	25.0	-3.2	-4.3	9.0
SKOWHEGAN	0.1	2.7	-8.6	0.4	2.6	26.9	4.3	5.2	4.8	10.8
WATERVILLE	0.6	-0.1	0.7	3.6	-3.5	-4.5	3.9	0.4	-0.7	10.0
KENNEBEC	1.2	0.1	2.2	-1.3	-0.7	5.6	-2.3	1.4	0.5	9.0
BELFAST	0.0	0.9	-8.8	2.1	21.7	-11.2	13.7	-0.6	-0.2	-2.0
BRUNSWICK	0.1	1.4	-4.7	0.1	3.8	1.4	7.3	-1.1	-3.0	12.4
CAMDEN	3.7	2.6	3.6	2.5	15.9	-0.4	-6.0	3.4	4.5	1.3
DAMARISCOTTA	-6.3	-6.5	-10.3	3.7	-1.3	-5.4	-13.0	-2.2	-2.8	-0.4
ROCKLAND	-3.7	-3.6	-4.9	-1.1	2.5	-7.5	-10.2	-0.3	-0.7	1.7
MID COAST	-1.5	-1.0	-5.8	1.1	4.7	-2.8	-1.8	-0.4	-1.3	3.4
FORT KENT	2.0	4.5	-13.8	-15.2	-7.4	41.5	8.4	9.6	8.9	13.9
HOULTON	11.8	11.3	12.1	6.2	8.5	2.3	20.3	14.4	13.3	20.4
MADAWASKA	8.0	6.9	9.9	-6.3	-11.5	-3.1	10.6	-17.7	-18.4	-6.8
PATTEN	7.9	7.9	32.1	4.1	-35.9	-2.5	-11.4	-0.3	-17.4	39.7
PRESQUE ISLE	1.2	-0.4	-9.1	-2.9	3.6	1.3	1.6	-2.9	-2.0	-9.2
NORTHERN ME	4.0	3.1	-1.4	-1.4	4.2	2.6	6.7	0.7	0.4	2.5
BANGOR	0.0	0.4	-1.9	6.6	2.4	-0.8	-3.3	2.8	0.8	13.5
BANGOR SUB	2.7	2.2	8.2	6.7	-7.5	-2.7	-0.6	0.9	-1.2	19.6
DOVER-FOXCROFT	0.3	0.8	2.2	-3.7	4.4	-0.2	3.5	-2.9	-6.7	8.4
LINCOLN	-3.6	-4.2	1.5	1.2	2.4	-7.1	-12.6	-6.5	-8.3	8.2
MILLINOCKET	-2.0	-2.9	-3.7	-3.0	-31.5	-21.3	4.5	-8.7	-11.5	-0.4
WINTERPORT	10.7	-6.1	-45.2	11.2	32.8	-22.4	2.2	-39.6	-33.5	-62.0
PENOBSCOT	0.4	0.3	0.2	4.3	2.2	-1.8	-2.7	1.0	-0.8	11.1
BIDDEFORD	5.0	3.9	2.2	-0.1	22.7	0.4	-5.0	8.1	9.4	5.7
FRYEBURG	-1.5	-2.2	-7.4	-8.3	23.9	-2.1	5.3	-6.3	-10.4	1.0
KENNEBUNK	0.3	0.3	-6.8	27.7	7.9	-9.4	-6.9	5.7	4.4	7.8
KITTERY	1.9	1.9	-10.4	2.0	0.7	0.3	-1.3	5.8	4.1	8.3
SANFORD	-5.4	-5.4	-13.3	-1.7	-6.5	1.0	-6.7	1.9	1.5	6.6
SOUTHERN ME	-4.1	-4.1	-10.0	-1.7	-1.5	-0.1	-9.4	-1.6	-3.6	5.1
OUT OF STATE	8.8	4.8	-5.2	42.7	5.4	13.8	2.2	-10.4	-1.6	-66.0

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

**MAINE TAXABLE SALES
(THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)**

SUMMARY TABLE 2: YTD % CHANGE

ND = Non-Disclosable

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	YEAR-TO-DATE 2007 PERCENT CHANGE FROM SAME PERIOD OF 2006*									
	Total Sales	Consumer Sales	Bldg. Supply	Food Stores	General Mdse.	Other Retail	Auto Stores	Rest.& Lodging	Restau- rants	Lodging
STATE TOTAL	0.8	0.4	-4.4	2.8	1.2	-0.5	0.1	4.1	3.0	7.8
FARMINGTON	-0.2	1.8	6.2	-3.8	2.5	1.4	1.2	1.9	1.8	2.6
LEWISTON	-0.9	-1.8	-9.3	2.5	1.9	-13.5	2.3	2.8	2.4	7.0
LEWISTON SUB	5.1	3.3	-9.9	9.7	10.9	-11.5	7.9	8.3	12.3	-8.4
LIVERMORE	-6.2	-9.4	-4.7	-2.1	-35.4	-42.9	-6.2	4.7	4.1	37.7
PARIS	-5.2	-6.2	-11.4	-5.2	-4.7	-21.6	-3.8	3.9	4.3	2.2
RANGELEY	3.8	3.1	-9.5	3.8	15.3	18.0	23.1	6.0	6.7	5.1
RUMFORD	0.1	-0.2	-7.9	2.6	8.1	-26.4	3.7	4.8	6.3	2.1
ANDROSCOGGIN	-0.9	-1.6	-8.3	1.5	1.2	-12.9	1.7	3.8	3.8	3.5
PORTLAND	-1.7	-2.6	-6.5	6.5	-4.5	-9.2	-1.4	3.2	1.3	12.3
PORTLAND SUB	-1.9	-0.8	-1.8	3.4	-5.5	0.3	0.1	2.8	1.6	6.7
SEBAGO LAKE	-3.3	-3.6	-12.7	3.3	4.3	-5.3	-3.8	-0.7	-1.3	1.3
CUMBERLAND	-1.9	-2.2	-7.3	5.0	87.0	-5.3	-1.3	2.6	1.0	9.1
BAR HARBOR	7.4	7.4	-5.8	7.8	-5.3	4.0	28.1	8.8	8.9	8.7
BLUE HILL	6.7	6.7	22.3	2.9	18.0	2.0	-14.6	0.0	-3.3	4.4
CALAIS	0.4	0.7	1.4	4.4	-0.1	-7.7	2.3	2.5	1.6	4.7
EASTPORT	2.2	2.2	19.2	-0.2	3.5	-38.1	12.6	7.6	7.5	7.8
ELLSWORTH	-0.7	-1.3	-3.1	-1.0	0.9	-1.0	-3.6	2.2	-0.6	13.4
JONESPORT	-2.6	-3.3	-10.2	6.3	17.6	7.9	-4.5	-3.3	-9.5	9.9
MACHIAS	2.7	3.3	0.6	3.5	22.4	1.8	-7.4	2.1	2.1	1.6
EASTERN ME	2.1	1.9	-0.8	2.3	0.9	1.0	0.0	5.9	4.0	8.7
AUGUSTA	1.7	1.2	-2.6	-2.4	4.7	-1.9	0.8	3.4	3.0	6.8
JACKMAN	-0.5	-2.7	-11.8	-0.3	-3.0	8.3	-0.5	-1.2	-2.5	-0.1
PITTSFIELD	8.9	9.1	69.2	7.0	0.1	-1.2	11.0	-7.0	-8.3	8.6
SKOWHEGAN	-1.5	-0.9	-7.6	2.6	-2.3	10.7	-4.3	9.1	8.9	11.2
WATERVILLE	0.1	-0.6	-2.6	3.1	-1.6	-8.5	1.0	4.5	3.6	10.0
KENNEBEC	1.1	0.6	-1.5	0.5	1.9	-3.4	0.5	3.9	3.4	7.2
BELFAST	-1.2	-0.7	-10.2	5.1	14.1	-5.4	4.6	-1.2	-1.3	-0.8
BRUNSWICK	2.8	3.1	-2.1	2.9	11.2	3.4	-0.7	3.5	2.4	8.3
CAMDEN	4.2	4.4	3.0	4.6	2.8	2.5	-2.0	8.4	9.6	6.8
DAMARISCOTTA	-0.9	-0.7	-9.0	4.1	-2.7	1.9	-4.2	6.6	7.1	5.9
ROCKLAND	-1.8	-1.9	-5.4	0.7	3.2	-1.3	-9.0	6.4	3.8	17.0
MID COAST	0.8	1.1	-4.9	3.2	7.8	1.3	-2.9	5.2	4.4	7.3
FORT KENT	-3.0	-0.1	-3.4	2.2	-12.9	15.1	-1.0	4.8	4.8	4.8
HOULTON	8.0	9.0	17.3	7.0	4.5	2.9	16.5	9.3	7.4	20.3
MADAWASKA	9.1	9.9	3.7	0.6	46.2	-0.2	0.3	-6.9	-6.7	-10.5
PATTEN	5.6	4.6	20.6	4.8	8.9	-3.4	6.8	-5.1	-10.0	11.0
PRESQUE ISLE	4.8	4.3	32.0	-2.4	-0.5	6.0	0.6	1.9	2.8	-3.5
NORTHERN ME	4.9	5.2	21.4	0.7	1.1	5.2	3.7	2.5	2.5	2.5
BANGOR	-0.8	-0.3	-4.1	4.9	2.5	-11.1	-0.8	3.9	2.5	11.5
BANGOR SUB	2.5	0.8	-12.7	6.8	-9.1	0.9	5.8	8.5	6.9	18.9
DOVER-FOXCROFT	1.7	0.9	-4.7	-0.6	4.1	0.5	4.2	3.6	3.1	4.7
LINCOLN	-0.4	-0.2	-0.8	4.4	-0.2	-3.9	-0.8	-1.3	-1.4	-0.5
MILLINOCKET	0.2	-0.6	-6.4	2.8	-14.8	-14.8	-0.1	1.8	-4.0	16.1
WINTERPORT	7.0	-4.5	-20.7	6.8	11.8	-0.1	2.0	-21.7	-20.3	-30.1
PENOBSCOT	0.0	-0.2	-6.1	4.3	2.1	-8.9	0.7	3.5	2.1	10.5
BIDDEFORD	5.0	3.9	2.2	-0.1	22.7	0.4	-5.0	8.1	9.4	5.7
FRYEBURG	-1.5	-2.2	-7.4	-8.3	23.9	-2.1	5.3	-6.3	-10.4	1.0
KENNEBUNK	0.3	0.3	-6.8	27.7	7.9	-9.4	-6.9	5.7	4.4	7.8
KITTERY	1.9	1.9	-10.4	2.0	0.7	0.3	-1.3	5.8	4.1	8.3
SANFORD	-5.4	-5.4	-13.3	-1.7	-6.5	1.0	-6.7	1.9	1.5	6.6
SOUTHERN ME	1.4	1.0	-5.3	1.4	6.1	-0.8	-4.9	5.8	4.9	7.4
OUT OF STATE	6.5	6.4	-2.8	31.9	4.3	18.2	3.6	-0.9	2.4	-54.1

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
Total Retail Sales
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)
ND = Non-Disclosable

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months \$
	2007	% CHG	% Mnths	10	11	12	YR-TO-	% Mnths	
	\$	2006-2007	Rptng	Oct	Nov	Dec	DATE	Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	4,418,505	0.1%	--	3.7%	4.8%	-6.1%	0.8%	--	17,269,202
FARMINGTON	46,004	-1.9%	100%	-0.5%	3.3%	-6.8%	-0.2%	100%	176,127
LEWISTON	254,670	-2.9%	100%	-0.9%	3.9%	-9.8%	-0.9%	100%	991,085
LEWISTON SUB	24,987	-0.3%	100%	-0.4%	4.7%	-3.5%	5.1%	100%	104,914
LIVERMORE	12,373	-12.5%	100%	-10.8%	-4.9%	-19.9%	-6.2%	100%	51,209
PARIS	51,306	-4.7%	100%	0.2%	-2.2%	-10.2%	-5.2%	100%	208,835
RANGELEY	18,720	1.3%	100%	-2.0%	7.3%	0.3%	3.8%	100%	79,725
RUMFORD	40,158	3.0%	100%	7.8%	11.4%	-4.9%	0.1%	100%	154,275
ANDROSCOGGIN	448,217	-2.5%	100%	-0.4%	3.6%	-8.6%	-0.9%	100%	1,766,171
PORTLAND	659,274	-2.3%	100%	2.9%	0.8%	-8.3%	-1.7%	100%	2,513,996
PORTLAND SUB	294,719	-1.1%	100%	1.6%	-0.1%	-4.1%	-1.9%	100%	1,071,610
SEBAGO LAKE	111,626	-0.9%	100%	1.6%	-4.6%	-0.3%	-3.3%	100%	481,316
CUMBERLAND	1,065,619	-1.8%	100%	2.4%	0.0%	-6.4%	-1.9%	100%	4,066,922
BAR HARBOR	40,479	11.2%	100%	12.9%	13.8%	5.6%	7.4%	100%	241,683
BLUE HILL	17,121	1.3%	100%	13.1%	17.9%	-16.2%	6.7%	100%	77,593
CALAIS	28,517	-2.5%	100%	0.5%	6.9%	-10.9%	0.4%	100%	107,470
EASTPORT	4,388	-1.3%	100%	-2.3%	2.0%	-2.3%	2.2%	100%	17,963
ELLSWORTH	102,022	-3.0%	100%	1.0%	-2.4%	-7.0%	-0.7%	100%	415,540
JONESPORT	11,119	-6.5%	100%	3.4%	-8.9%	-11.6%	-2.6%	100%	43,430
MACHIAS	12,867	-0.6%	100%	5.1%	-1.4%	-4.6%	2.7%	100%	50,275
EASTERN ME	216,512	-0.2%	100%	5.2%	2.0%	-7.1%	2.1%	100%	953,953
AUGUSTA	255,252	0.8%	100%	6.8%	10.3%	-10.0%	1.7%	100%	962,242
JACKMAN	7,410	6.6%	100%	6.7%	-6.0%	16.3%	-0.5%	100%	29,346
PITTSFIELD	25,078	11.7%	100%	15.9%	17.7%	5.3%	8.9%	100%	88,436
SKOWHEGAN	53,733	0.1%	100%	4.7%	12.7%	-12.5%	-1.5%	100%	210,180
WATERVILLE	154,395	0.6%	100%	6.0%	6.1%	-7.8%	0.1%	100%	610,951
KENNEBEC	495,868	1.2%	100%	6.7%	9.3%	-8.5%	1.1%	100%	1,901,155
BELFAST	41,538	0.0%	100%	8.7%	1.3%	-8.1%	-1.2%	100%	162,878
BRUNSWICK	170,584	0.1%	100%	6.6%	2.9%	-6.4%	2.8%	100%	676,443
CAMDEN	38,845	3.7%	100%	5.6%	16.1%	-6.2%	4.2%	100%	168,060
DAMARISCOTTA	65,567	-6.3%	100%	-0.6%	-3.2%	-13.6%	-0.9%	100%	320,782
ROCKLAND	88,401	-3.7%	100%	-0.9%	1.7%	-10.1%	-1.8%	100%	356,464
MID COAST	404,935	-1.5%	100%	3.7%	2.5%	-8.5%	0.8%	100%	1,684,626
FORT KENT	18,675	2.0%	100%	-1.6%	21.4%	-6.7%	-3.0%	100%	69,834
HOULTON	36,297	11.8%	100%	15.3%	12.5%	8.5%	8.0%	100%	133,671
MADAWASKA	14,868	8.0%	100%	14.0%	19.7%	-2.3%	9.1%	100%	54,425
PATTEN	7,654	7.9%	100%	31.1%	5.1%	-9.6%	5.6%	100%	28,435
PRESQUE ISLE	107,379	1.2%	100%	-2.1%	3.3%	2.5%	4.8%	100%	401,674
NORTHERN ME	184,874	4.0%	100%	3.5%	7.9%	1.6%	4.9%	100%	688,039
BANGOR	438,711	0.0%	100%	3.4%	8.5%	-8.9%	-0.8%	100%	1,602,396
BANGOR SUB	79,354	2.7%	100%	12.2%	6.4%	-7.3%	2.5%	100%	318,871
DOVER-FOXCROFT	39,611	0.3%	100%	2.6%	11.6%	-10.1%	1.7%	100%	159,622
LINCOLN	23,491	-3.6%	100%	-0.2%	5.9%	-13.4%	-0.4%	100%	94,074
MILLINOCKET	12,093	-2.0%	100%	0.6%	-0.2%	-5.1%	0.2%	100%	51,898
WINTERPORT	11,160	10.7%	100%	31.7%	25.7%	-17.2%	7.0%	100%	44,144
PENOBSCOT	604,422	0.4%	100%	4.8%	8.5%	-9.0%	0.0%	100%	2,271,004
BIDDEFORD	160,854	5.0%	100%	-0.7%	-1.3%	-11.6%	5.0%	100%	710,749
FRYEBURG	12,830	-1.5%	100%	3.8%	-33.2%	-4.0%	-1.5%	100%	52,113
KENNEBUNK	46,088	0.3%	100%	11.5%	0.7%	-16.6%	0.3%	100%	211,307
KITTERY	134,870	1.9%	100%	2.8%	3.0%	-8.9%	1.9%	100%	639,942
SANFORD	79,644	-5.4%	100%	-2.3%	-4.7%	-11.1%	-5.4%	100%	330,033
SOUTHERN ME	434,287	-4.1%	100%	1.6%	-1.6%	-11.0%	1.4%	100%	1,944,144
OUT OF STATE	564,415	8.8%	100%	7.1%	16.4%	5.4%	6.5%	100%	1,995,384

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
Consumer Retail Sales
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)
ND = Non-Disclosable

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months \$\$
	2007 \$\$	% CHG 2006-2007	% Mnths Rptng	10 Oct	11 Nov	12 Dec	YR-TO- DATE	% Mnths Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	3,813,775	-0.9%	--	2.9%	3.9%	-7.6%	0.4%	--	15,091,031
FARMINGTON	42,357	-0.4%	100%	2.9%	5.9%	-7.3%	1.8%	100%	162,669
LEWISTON	226,242	-3.9%	100%	-0.3%	1.8%	-11.5%	-1.8%	100%	885,404
LEWISTON SUB	19,267	-6.5%	100%	-3.9%	-5.7%	-8.9%	3.3%	100%	84,194
LIVERMORE	9,384	-14.3%	100%	-14.4%	-10.0%	-17.7%	-9.4%	100%	37,716
PARIS	47,942	-5.5%	100%	-0.3%	-2.3%	-11.8%	-6.2%	100%	194,923
RANGELEY	16,822	3.3%	100%	1.6%	7.2%	2.4%	3.1%	100%	72,954
RUMFORD	33,960	-0.5%	100%	4.0%	4.9%	-6.4%	-0.2%	100%	132,251
ANDROSCOGGIN	395,974	-3.6%	100%	-0.1%	1.5%	-10.0%	-1.6%	100%	1,570,112
PORTLAND	574,392	-2.8%	100%	2.1%	0.0%	-8.5%	-2.6%	100%	2,187,583
PORTLAND SUB	264,514	-0.1%	100%	1.2%	2.4%	-3.0%	-0.8%	100%	950,241
SEBAGO LAKE	101,733	-3.5%	100%	0.7%	-4.8%	-6.0%	-3.6%	100%	448,811
CUMBERLAND	940,639	-2.1%	100%	1.7%	0.1%	-6.7%	-2.2%	100%	3,586,635
BAR HARBOR	38,557	10.5%	100%	13.0%	13.9%	2.1%	7.4%	100%	234,635
BLUE HILL	15,057	-1.9%	100%	7.1%	12.9%	-17.0%	6.7%	100%	71,053
CALAIS	25,712	-2.3%	100%	2.7%	4.5%	-10.6%	0.7%	100%	97,655
EASTPORT	4,046	-1.1%	100%	-2.7%	1.6%	-1.4%	2.2%	100%	16,902
ELLSWORTH	94,329	-4.2%	100%	0.4%	-4.2%	-8.2%	-1.3%	100%	387,512
JONESPORT	9,618	-7.9%	100%	0.9%	-8.6%	-13.8%	-3.3%	100%	38,775
MACHIAS	11,965	0.1%	100%	5.3%	0.4%	-4.7%	3.3%	100%	46,982
EASTERN ME	199,284	-1.1%	100%	4.8%	0.5%	-8.1%	1.9%	100%	893,514
AUGUSTA	235,905	-1.1%	100%	5.2%	8.9%	-12.6%	1.2%	100%	898,899
JACKMAN	5,856	-1.9%	100%	0.1%	-17.1%	8.5%	-2.7%	100%	24,806
PITTSFIELD	23,382	10.6%	100%	16.5%	16.4%	3.3%	9.1%	100%	82,474
SKOWHEGAN	48,228	2.7%	100%	5.5%	14.8%	-8.2%	-0.9%	100%	187,165
WATERVILLE	139,615	-0.1%	100%	5.5%	4.6%	-8.5%	-0.6%	100%	552,546
KENNEBEC	452,985	0.1%	100%	5.7%	8.1%	-9.9%	0.6%	100%	1,745,889
BELFAST	39,588	0.9%	100%	9.7%	1.7%	-6.8%	-0.7%	100%	155,185
BRUNSWICK	162,879	1.4%	100%	7.4%	3.3%	-4.5%	3.1%	100%	643,114
CAMDEN	34,245	2.6%	100%	7.3%	6.9%	-4.9%	4.4%	100%	152,503
DAMARISCOTTA	61,402	-6.5%	100%	-0.7%	-4.2%	-13.6%	-0.7%	100%	303,984
ROCKLAND	76,477	-3.6%	100%	-1.0%	0.8%	-9.0%	-1.9%	100%	305,140
MID COAST	374,592	-1.0%	100%	4.3%	1.7%	-7.2%	1.1%	100%	1,559,926
FORT KENT	13,959	4.5%	100%	-2.3%	9.7%	6.3%	-0.1%	100%	54,057
HOULTON	32,474	11.3%	100%	15.8%	11.1%	7.7%	9.0%	100%	117,464
MADAWASKA	11,590	6.9%	100%	16.4%	19.4%	-5.8%	9.9%	100%	43,024
PATTEN	6,387	7.9%	100%	36.2%	3.7%	-11.9%	4.6%	100%	24,424
PRESQUE ISLE	90,244	-0.4%	100%	0.2%	4.3%	-4.4%	4.3%	100%	336,992
NORTHERN ME	154,654	3.1%	100%	5.5%	7.1%	-1.6%	5.2%	100%	575,961
BANGOR	396,292	0.4%	100%	5.0%	7.9%	-8.7%	-0.3%	100%	1,442,027
BANGOR SUB	66,275	2.2%	100%	14.6%	6.7%	-10.9%	0.8%	100%	264,843
DOVER-FOXCROFT	35,696	0.8%	100%	1.3%	12.7%	-8.6%	0.9%	100%	145,291
LINCOLN	21,782	-4.2%	100%	-1.5%	6.9%	-15.1%	-0.2%	100%	88,929
MILLINOCKET	9,411	-2.9%	100%	2.2%	0.9%	-9.3%	-0.6%	100%	41,449
WINTERPORT	8,293	-6.1%	100%	7.2%	-3.2%	-20.1%	-4.5%	100%	34,955
PENOBSCOT	537,748	0.3%	100%	5.6%	7.7%	-9.4%	-0.2%	100%	2,017,494
BIDDEFORD	147,194	3.9%	100%	0.1%	-1.6%	-12.6%	3.9%	100%	659,435
FRYEBURG	11,327	-2.2%	100%	6.7%	-36.6%	-5.8%	-2.2%	100%	47,231
KENNEBUNK	44,459	0.3%	100%	12.4%	1.9%	-16.4%	0.3%	100%	204,127
KITTERY	128,530	1.9%	100%	3.5%	2.9%	-9.3%	1.9%	100%	617,058
SANFORD	72,788	-5.4%	100%	-4.2%	-3.8%	-12.1%	-5.4%	100%	303,302
SOUTHERN ME	404,298	-4.1%	100%	2.1%	-1.5%	-11.8%	1.0%	100%	1,831,152
OUT OF STATE	353,599	4.8%	100%	-0.4%	15.7%	1.5%	6.4%	100%	1,311,078

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

Building Supply Stores

ND = Non-Disclosable

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months
	2007	% CHG	% Mnths	10	11	12	YR-TO-	% Mnths	Months
	\$\$	2006-2007	Rptng	Oct	Nov	Dec	DATE	Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	621,091	-3.5%	--	2.6%	-0.8%	-12.6%	-4.4%	--	2,414,606
FARMINGTON	6,321	2.1%	100%	19.6%	14.5%	-22.2%	6.2%	100%	23,667
LEWISTON	46,876	-9.0%	100%	-10.7%	0.0%	-15.6%	-9.3%	100%	184,771
LEWISTON SUB	2,839	-28.7%	100%	-29.9%	-30.5%	-26.8%	-9.9%	92%	12,142
LIVERMORE	2,065	-8.8%	100%	-14.7%	-3.2%	-6.7%	-4.7%	83%	7,103
PARIS	8,383	-4.3%	100%	2.4%	-5.8%	-9.4%	-11.4%	100%	31,933
RANGELEY	5,275	-4.7%	100%	-0.4%	-1.4%	-12.9%	-9.5%	92%	16,618
RUMFORD	5,491	-20.2%	100%	-2.0%	-14.2%	-47.5%	-7.9%	100%	21,739
ANDROSCOGGIN	77,249	-9.2%	100%	-6.9%	-2.3%	-18.3%	-8.3%	95%	297,973
PORTLAND	69,906	-4.0%	100%	-2.2%	-6.7%	-3.4%	-6.5%	100%	283,903
PORTLAND SUB	23,709	25.5%	100%	12.7%	36.1%	31.5%	-1.8%	100%	80,079
SEBAGO LAKE	27,608	-7.7%	100%	0.5%	-13.3%	-11.4%	-12.7%	100%	115,406
CUMBERLAND	121,223	-0.3%	100%	0.8%	-1.9%	-0.2%	-7.3%	100%	479,388
BAR HARBOR	6,038	0.2%	100%	17.9%	2.4%	-18.7%	-5.8%	100%	24,467
BLUE HILL	5,428	3.0%	67%	14.6%	ND	-9.0%	22.3%	92%	21,626
CALAIS	1,729	-1.7%	67%	ND	5.1%	-8.6%	1.4%	25%	4,425
EASTPORT	231	30.1%	33%	ND	ND	30.1%	19.2%	17%	574
ELLSWORTH	19,285	-4.0%	100%	3.6%	-7.0%	-9.6%	-3.1%	100%	75,751
JONESPORT	1,980	-17.7%	67%	3.9%	ND	-38.3%	-10.2%	67%	9,754
MACHIAS	3,000	7.8%	100%	21.8%	-2.3%	1.1%	0.6%	100%	11,490
EASTERN ME	37,691	-2.4%	76%	8.7%	13.3%	-12.4%	-0.8%	71%	148,086
AUGUSTA	28,268	1.1%	100%	5.3%	12.5%	-13.2%	-2.6%	100%	101,060
JACKMAN	2,025	8.8%	100%	20.5%	-39.8%	40.3%	-11.8%	92%	5,054
PITTSFIELD	4,304	64.3%	100%	55.1%	103.1%	56.4%	69.2%	92%	13,224
SKOWHEGAN	8,085	-8.6%	100%	-5.4%	15.8%	-33.7%	-7.6%	100%	32,733
WATERVILLE	32,856	0.7%	100%	10.0%	5.5%	-15.7%	-2.6%	100%	127,695
KENNEBEC	75,537	2.2%	100%	8.0%	10.2%	-11.6%	-1.5%	97%	279,766
BELFAST	11,458	-8.8%	100%	1.8%	-13.0%	-16.6%	-10.2%	100%	42,523
BRUNSWICK	30,202	-4.7%	100%	4.5%	-5.6%	-14.0%	-2.1%	100%	128,525
CAMDEN	5,941	3.6%	100%	12.1%	6.4%	-8.6%	3.0%	100%	22,256
DAMARISCOTTA	13,564	-10.3%	100%	-2.7%	-12.7%	-16.0%	-9.0%	100%	55,277
ROCKLAND	19,687	-4.9%	100%	4.3%	-1.8%	-18.5%	-5.4%	100%	76,490
MID COAST	80,850	-5.8%	100%	3.3%	-6.2%	-15.5%	-4.9%	100%	325,071
FORT KENT	1,570	-13.8%	67%	-6.2%	ND	-22.2%	-3.4%	58%	6,628
HOULTON	3,874	12.1%	100%	22.5%	-16.7%	34.9%	17.3%	92%	12,895
MADAWASKA	3,854	9.9%	100%	12.0%	25.8%	-1.8%	3.7%	75%	11,994
PATTEN	1,698	32.1%	67%	65.4%	ND	-15.8%	20.6%	67%	6,921
PRESQUE ISLE	12,593	-9.1%	100%	-5.8%	-12.6%	-9.6%	32.0%	100%	51,671
NORTHERN ME	23,589	-1.4%	87%	6.1%	-7.4%	-5.0%	21.4%	78%	90,109
BANGOR	47,181	-1.9%	100%	3.0%	2.1%	-12.5%	-4.1%	100%	177,700
BANGOR SUB	15,913	8.2%	100%	28.3%	13.0%	-13.6%	-12.7%	100%	53,538
DOVER-FOXCROFT	7,406	2.2%	100%	17.7%	11.4%	-23.3%	-4.7%	100%	28,985
LINCOLN	2,700	1.5%	100%	6.5%	15.8%	-19.0%	-0.8%	100%	10,688
MILLINOCKET	528	-3.7%	33%	ND	ND	-3.7%	-6.4%	42%	2,531
WINTERPORT	371	-45.2%	33%	ND	ND	-45.2%	-20.7%	42%	3,990
PENOBSCOT	74,098	0.2%	78%	9.1%	5.5%	-14.7%	-6.1%	81%	277,432
BIDDEFORD	27,703	2.2%	100%	-4.0%	-8.2%	-9.0%	2.2%	100%	115,862
FRYEBURG	2,489	-7.4%	100%	-25.1%	-22.7%	-4.2%	-7.4%	100%	10,295
KENNEBUNK	7,397	-6.8%	100%	7.6%	2.1%	-41.9%	-6.8%	100%	31,994
KITTERY	9,739	-10.4%	100%	-10.1%	-3.7%	-12.0%	-10.4%	100%	40,497
SANFORD	14,919	-13.3%	100%	-10.2%	-4.0%	-25.3%	-13.3%	100%	58,263
SOUTHERN ME	62,247	-10.0%	100%	-6.3%	-5.8%	-18.2%	-5.3%	100%	256,910
OUT OF STATE	61,600	-5.2%	100%	9.4%	0.2%	-17.6%	-2.8%	100%	231,547

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)
ND = Non-Disclosable
Food Stores

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months
	2007	% CHG	% Mnths	10	11	12	YR-TO-	% Mnths	Months
	\$	2006-2007	Rptng	Oct	Nov	Dec	DATE	Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	347,715	1.0%	--	2.6%	2.1%	-1.3%	2.8%	--	1,443,700
FARMINGTON	4,385	-5.7%	100%	-5.7%	-6.0%	-5.3%	-3.8%	100%	17,650
LEWISTON	20,141	2.1%	100%	-0.4%	0.2%	5.7%	2.5%	100%	80,369
LEWISTON SUB	4,895	5.0%	100%	10.4%	5.8%	-1.0%	9.7%	100%	20,505
LIVERMORE	2,483	-3.1%	100%	3.6%	0.3%	-12.0%	-2.1%	92%	10,299
PARIS	4,733	-7.9%	100%	-4.8%	-6.4%	-11.9%	-5.2%	100%	20,235
RANGELEY	2,177	-1.9%	100%	10.6%	2.1%	-16.4%	3.8%	92%	9,567
RUMFORD	4,823	3.1%	100%	-2.3%	1.1%	8.2%	2.6%	100%	19,882
ANDROSCOGGIN	43,636	0.0%	100%	0.3%	-0.4%	0.0%	1.5%	98%	178,506
PORTLAND	42,432	4.7%	100%	4.7%	6.8%	3.0%	6.5%	100%	169,496
PORTLAND SUB	22,158	1.0%	100%	1.0%	3.1%	-0.8%	3.4%	100%	89,170
SEBAGO LAKE	13,340	-0.1%	100%	1.0%	0.7%	-1.7%	3.3%	100%	58,623
CUMBERLAND	77,930	2.8%	100%	3.0%	4.6%	1.1%	5.0%	100%	317,288
BAR HARBOR	3,489	4.3%	100%	5.5%	3.4%	3.5%	7.8%	100%	17,774
BLUE HILL	3,530	1.3%	100%	4.4%	3.1%	-3.3%	2.9%	100%	15,588
CALAIS	2,696	2.3%	100%	10.6%	9.4%	-9.4%	4.4%	92%	10,197
EASTPORT	782	-2.6%	67%	ND	-3.9%	-1.4%	-0.2%	50%	3,196
ELLSWORTH	9,820	-5.1%	100%	-5.6%	-4.4%	-5.3%	-1.0%	100%	42,780
JONESPORT	1,433	5.7%	67%	ND	6.4%	5.0%	6.3%	67%	6,511
MACHIAS	2,363	3.2%	100%	4.1%	3.4%	2.3%	3.5%	83%	8,420
EASTERN ME	24,112	-0.6%	90%	0.7%	0.6%	-2.8%	2.3%	85%	104,466
AUGUSTA	21,675	-5.3%	100%	-3.5%	-4.0%	-8.0%	-2.4%	100%	88,753
JACKMAN	1,137	-10.1%	100%	3.8%	-1.7%	-28.9%	-0.3%	92%	5,021
PITTSFIELD	1,939	8.7%	100%	6.2%	10.2%	9.8%	7.0%	92%	8,144
SKOWHEGAN	7,105	0.4%	100%	7.8%	4.6%	-9.7%	2.6%	100%	29,198
WATERVILLE	15,139	3.6%	100%	7.4%	6.3%	-2.0%	3.1%	100%	61,035
KENNEBEC	46,995	-1.3%	100%	2.1%	1.1%	-6.3%	0.5%	97%	192,150
BELFAST	6,453	2.1%	100%	7.5%	1.2%	-2.0%	5.1%	100%	26,443
BRUNSWICK	14,894	0.1%	100%	0.7%	1.8%	-1.9%	2.9%	100%	62,337
CAMDEN	3,520	2.5%	100%	4.7%	2.7%	0.4%	4.6%	100%	15,164
DAMARISCOTTA	9,330	3.7%	100%	2.2%	5.3%	3.9%	4.1%	100%	41,219
ROCKLAND	8,565	-1.1%	100%	-5.4%	0.4%	1.6%	0.7%	100%	36,111
MID COAST	42,763	1.1%	100%	1.1%	2.3%	0.2%	3.2%	100%	181,274
FORT KENT	838	-15.2%	67%	ND	3.3%	-30.4%	2.2%	75%	4,437
HOULTON	3,621	6.2%	100%	9.7%	7.0%	2.6%	7.0%	92%	13,598
MADAWASKA	1,072	-6.3%	67%	ND	8.1%	-16.1%	0.6%	83%	5,520
PATTEN	1,547	4.1%	100%	7.8%	4.3%	0.3%	4.8%	92%	6,281
PRESQUE ISLE	9,361	-2.9%	100%	-0.7%	-3.8%	-4.1%	-2.4%	92%	34,903
NORTHERN ME	16,437	-1.4%	87%	2.6%	0.6%	-5.9%	0.7%	87%	64,739
BANGOR	24,203	6.6%	100%	7.5%	8.5%	4.4%	4.9%	100%	93,070
BANGOR SUB	10,927	6.7%	100%	9.6%	6.4%	4.4%	6.8%	100%	43,324
DOVER-FOXCROFT	7,305	-3.7%	100%	0.6%	-2.0%	-9.4%	-0.6%	100%	30,848
LINCOLN	3,000	1.2%	100%	1.2%	2.3%	0.0%	4.4%	100%	12,180
MILLINOCKET	2,480	-3.0%	100%	1.1%	-9.1%	-1.3%	2.8%	100%	10,807
WINTERPORT	1,450	11.2%	100%	17.0%	7.7%	8.9%	6.8%	100%	5,732
PENOBSCOT	49,364	4.3%	100%	6.3%	4.9%	1.8%	4.3%	100%	195,961
BIDDEFORD	16,263	-0.1%	100%	-5.1%	-5.1%	-8.3%	-0.1%	100%	74,542
FRYEBURG	1,502	-8.3%	100%	-10.6%	-12.6%	-14.0%	-8.3%	92%	6,597
KENNEBUNK	4,142	27.7%	100%	76.3%	32.7%	30.2%	27.7%	92%	15,871
KITTERY	8,526	2.0%	100%	7.2%	0.0%	-4.6%	2.0%	100%	42,366
SANFORD	11,994	-1.7%	100%	-3.3%	-4.2%	-11.1%	-1.7%	100%	51,398
SOUTHERN ME	42,427	-1.7%	100%	2.9%	-1.7%	-6.0%	1.4%	97%	190,774
OUT OF STATE	1,945	42.7%	100%	24.3%	45.1%	51.2%	31.9%	100%	6,666

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
General Merchandise Stores
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)
ND = Non-Disclosable

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months \$\$
	2007 \$\$	% CHG 2006-2007	% Mnths Rptng	10 Oct	11 Nov	12 Dec	YR-TO- DATE	% Mnths Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	937,942	-0.5%	--	3.7%	7.6%	-8.4%	1.2%	--	3,135,058
FARMINGTON	14,868	0.8%	100%	0.4%	4.3%	-1.3%	2.5%	100%	50,443
LEWISTON	61,445	-4.8%	100%	-4.3%	2.5%	-10.0%	1.9%	100%	205,917
LEWISTON SUB	963	2.8%	33%	ND	ND	2.8%	10.9%	50%	4,023
LIVERMORE	86	-47.9%	33%	ND	ND	-47.9%	-35.4%	33%	375
PARIS	17,519	-4.3%	100%	-1.8%	2.5%	-10.1%	-4.7%	100%	63,768
RANGELEY	126	24.6%	33%	ND	ND	24.6%	15.3%	33%	401
RUMFORD	9,088	8.2%	100%	10.9%	16.0%	1.2%	8.1%	100%	30,724
ANDROSCOGGIN	104,095	-2.9%	71%	-0.7%	3.8%	-7.9%	1.2%	74%	355,650
PORTLAND	154,094	-4.1%	100%	3.8%	2.4%	-12.1%	-4.5%	100%	503,943
PORTLAND SUB	66,426	-8.0%	100%	-4.2%	-3.1%	-14.6%	-5.5%	100%	234,648
SEBAGO LAKE	25,382	0.9%	100%	2.4%	8.5%	-5.1%	4.3%	100%	90,010
CUMBERLAND	245,902	-4.7%	100%	1.1%	1.3%	-12.1%	-3.9%	100%	828,601
BAR HARBOR	1,218	-5.6%	100%	-3.8%	5.8%	-14.7%	-5.3%	92%	6,597
BLUE HILL	278	-3.2%	33%	ND	ND	-3.2%	18.0%	25%	797
CALAIS	13,698	-0.5%	100%	2.3%	3.7%	-5.3%	-0.1%	100%	48,077
EASTPORT	141	7.9%	33%	ND	ND	7.9%	3.5%	17%	275
ELLSWORTH	24,822	3.9%	100%	17.7%	4.3%	-5.1%	0.9%	100%	88,058
JONESPORT	302	-10.8%	33%	ND	ND	-10.8%	17.6%	17%	765
MACHIAS	1,485	25.3%	67%	36.0%	ND	18.7%	22.4%	67%	4,491
EASTERN ME	41,944	2.4%	67%	11.9%	8.2%	-4.7%	0.9%	60%	149,060
AUGUSTA	74,490	0.1%	100%	6.2%	14.4%	-11.3%	4.7%	100%	234,061
JACKMAN	587	-7.4%	100%	-5.1%	-1.2%	-15.8%	-3.0%	75%	2,413
PITTSFIELD	12,052	0.1%	100%	1.4%	4.7%	-3.7%	0.1%	92%	40,878
SKOWHEGAN	11,745	2.6%	100%	3.0%	11.4%	-3.4%	-2.3%	83%	37,674
WATERVILLE	34,912	-3.5%	100%	0.3%	1.3%	-9.2%	-1.6%	100%	118,938
KENNEBEC	133,786	-0.7%	100%	3.6%	9.5%	-9.5%	1.9%	90%	433,964
BELFAST	5,720	21.7%	100%	75.9%	19.0%	2.4%	14.1%	100%	18,702
BRUNSWICK	47,146	3.8%	100%	4.9%	11.3%	-1.5%	11.2%	100%	156,365
CAMDEN	3,704	15.9%	100%	95.3%	6.2%	-5.7%	2.8%	100%	12,789
DAMARISCOTTA	5,308	-1.3%	100%	4.6%	7.6%	-9.5%	-2.7%	100%	21,800
ROCKLAND	18,939	2.5%	100%	5.2%	5.9%	-1.6%	3.2%	100%	65,367
MID COAST	80,817	4.7%	100%	10.9%	10.1%	-2.0%	7.8%	100%	275,023
FORT KENT	653	-7.4%	33%	ND	ND	-7.4%	-12.9%	33%	2,134
HOULTON	11,041	8.5%	100%	13.1%	13.8%	1.8%	4.5%	100%	36,304
MADAWASKA	1,372	-11.5%	33%	ND	ND	-11.5%	46.2%	33%	6,226
PATTEN	93	-35.9%	33%	ND	ND	-35.9%	8.9%	33%	396
PRESQUE ISLE	30,574	3.6%	100%	3.3%	11.8%	-1.9%	-0.5%	100%	96,820
NORTHERN ME	43,732	4.2%	60%	11.3%	12.3%	-2.0%	1.1%	60%	141,881
BANGOR	136,584	2.4%	100%	6.3%	18.6%	-10.0%	2.5%	100%	421,305
BANGOR SUB	2,958	-7.5%	100%	-0.2%	-0.3%	-18.0%	-9.1%	100%	11,641
DOVER-FOXCROFT	4,630	4.4%	100%	0.1%	8.8%	4.3%	4.1%	100%	15,868
LINCOLN	6,378	2.4%	100%	1.1%	7.6%	-0.5%	-0.2%	100%	21,591
MILLINOCKET	241	-31.5%	33%	ND	ND	-31.5%	-14.8%	33%	996
WINTERPORT	275	32.8%	33%	ND	ND	32.8%	11.8%	33%	928
PENOBSCOT	151,066	2.2%	78%	5.7%	17.4%	-9.4%	2.1%	78%	472,328
BIDDEFORD	35,980	22.7%	100%	5.5%	3.2%	-4.6%	22.7%	100%	115,336
FRYEBURG	506	23.9%	67%	ND	83.1%	19.3%	23.9%	58%	1,774
KENNEBUNK	2,134	7.9%	67%	ND	30.6%	-16.9%	7.9%	58%	9,399
KITTERY	38,386	0.7%	100%	1.7%	4.4%	-10.6%	0.7%	100%	142,730
SANFORD	16,352	-6.5%	100%	-4.5%	-0.1%	-6.6%	-6.5%	100%	60,607
SOUTHERN ME	93,358	-1.5%	87%	5.3%	3.7%	-7.3%	6.1%	83%	329,845
OUT OF STATE	39,264	5.4%	100%	7.4%	17.1%	-4.3%	4.3%	100%	131,731

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)
ND = Non-Disclosable
Other Retail Stores

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months \$\$
	2007	% CHG	% Mnths	10	11	12	YR-TO-	% Mnths	
	2007	2006-2007	Rptng	Oct	Nov	Dec	DATE	Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	568,284	1.0%	--	5.8%	6.9%	-4.6%	-0.5%	--	1,927,199
FARMINGTON	4,400	-3.1%	100%	8.5%	-4.2%	-6.9%	1.4%	100%	16,052
LEWISTON	20,096	-9.2%	100%	2.5%	-4.3%	-16.7%	-13.5%	100%	71,701
LEWISTON SUB	1,184	-26.2%	33%	ND	ND	-26.2%	-11.5%	50%	6,726
LIVERMORE	544	-36.4%	33%	ND	ND	-36.4%	-42.9%	50%	2,426
PARIS	3,199	-13.0%	100%	8.6%	-4.4%	-25.6%	-21.6%	100%	11,940
RANGELEY	2,350	9.9%	33%	ND	ND	9.9%	18.0%	58%	9,422
RUMFORD	3,030	-12.6%	67%	1.8%	ND	-17.4%	-26.4%	83%	11,261
ANDROSCOGGIN	34,801	-9.6%	67%	3.9%	12.5%	-16.0%	-12.9%	77%	129,528
PORTLAND	92,139	-5.8%	100%	0.4%	1.3%	-12.4%	-9.2%	100%	306,480
PORTLAND SUB	80,440	1.6%	100%	-4.0%	6.4%	2.6%	0.3%	100%	234,782
SEBAGO LAKE	10,248	3.5%	100%	20.5%	14.9%	-7.3%	-5.3%	100%	37,137
CUMBERLAND	182,827	-2.2%	100%	-0.9%	4.1%	-6.3%	-5.3%	100%	578,399
BAR HARBOR	6,668	-0.1%	100%	14.9%	-8.1%	-21.7%	4.0%	92%	33,494
BLUE HILL	1,686	-18.5%	67%	ND	5.2%	-25.0%	2.0%	83%	9,287
CALAIS	1,482	-8.0%	67%	ND	-0.4%	-11.5%	-7.7%	25%	2,854
EASTPORT	237	-43.8%	67%	5.6%	ND	-47.1%	-38.1%	25%	433
ELLSWORTH	8,677	-3.4%	100%	-0.5%	4.4%	-8.4%	-1.0%	100%	32,317
JONESPORT	519	24.0%	33%	ND	ND	24.0%	7.9%	17%	933
MACHIAS	1,422	-6.9%	67%	0.5%	ND	-9.2%	1.8%	75%	4,413
EASTERN ME	20,690	-4.6%	71%	8.3%	9.4%	-13.9%	1.0%	60%	83,731
AUGUSTA	22,639	9.3%	100%	10.7%	26.4%	0.8%	-1.9%	100%	73,631
JACKMAN	165	-6.4%	100%	36.5%	-9.2%	-8.9%	8.3%	75%	541
PITTSFIELD	1,045	-0.3%	100%	10.3%	8.7%	-8.2%	-1.2%	75%	3,511
SKOWHEGAN	4,530	26.9%	100%	52.5%	63.1%	6.8%	10.7%	83%	12,632
WATERVILLE	13,645	-4.5%	100%	6.2%	3.3%	-12.4%	-8.5%	100%	49,836
KENNEBEC	42,023	5.6%	100%	12.3%	20.3%	-3.6%	-3.4%	87%	140,152
BELFAST	4,005	-11.2%	100%	-5.9%	-0.8%	-17.3%	-5.4%	100%	15,066
BRUNSWICK	19,029	1.4%	100%	22.3%	10.2%	-9.0%	3.4%	100%	63,080
CAMDEN	6,933	-0.4%	100%	13.6%	10.6%	-11.0%	2.5%	100%	29,188
DAMARISCOTTA	7,826	-5.4%	100%	4.8%	0.7%	-12.1%	1.9%	100%	36,950
ROCKLAND	7,176	-7.5%	100%	2.4%	4.8%	-16.4%	-1.3%	100%	27,418
MID COAST	44,970	-2.8%	100%	11.0%	6.7%	-11.9%	1.3%	100%	171,701
FORT KENT	735	41.5%	33%	ND	ND	41.5%	15.1%	50%	2,925
HOULTON	2,805	2.3%	100%	-4.6%	1.1%	7.6%	2.9%	100%	9,416
MADAWASKA	659	-3.1%	33%	ND	ND	-3.1%	-0.2%	33%	1,726
PATTEN	869	-2.5%	100%	7.0%	3.0%	-9.5%	-3.4%	58%	2,022
PRESQUE ISLE	8,289	1.3%	100%	8.0%	9.8%	-4.9%	6.0%	92%	26,558
NORTHERN ME	13,356	2.6%	73%	4.3%	7.0%	0.3%	5.2%	67%	42,647
BANGOR	43,704	-0.8%	100%	8.2%	8.3%	-9.3%	-11.1%	100%	131,522
BANGOR SUB	4,851	-2.7%	100%	0.9%	-2.4%	-4.2%	0.9%	100%	17,426
DOVER-FOXCROFT	3,436	-0.2%	100%	3.7%	9.9%	-6.0%	0.5%	100%	12,888
LINCOLN	1,236	-7.1%	100%	-4.4%	-1.4%	-10.0%	-3.9%	100%	4,062
MILLINOCKET	649	-21.3%	67%	-14.3%	ND	-23.0%	-14.8%	75%	2,333
WINTERPORT	885	-22.4%	67%	-30.3%	ND	-20.1%	-0.1%	75%	4,045
PENOBSCOT	54,761	-1.8%	89%	5.9%	7.3%	-9.3%	-8.9%	92%	172,277
BIDDEFORD	9,221	0.4%	100%	29.4%	21.1%	-2.2%	0.4%	100%	39,069
FRYEBURG	2,130	-2.1%	67%	ND	16.0%	-16.1%	-2.1%	67%	7,164
KENNEBUNK	5,987	-9.4%	67%	ND	19.6%	-22.9%	-9.4%	75%	23,890
KITTERY	27,526	0.3%	100%	1.8%	4.2%	-3.5%	0.3%	100%	100,482
SANFORD	7,237	1.0%	100%	3.8%	4.7%	-10.6%	1.0%	83%	27,815
SOUTHERN ME	52,102	-0.1%	87%	26.0%	8.4%	-7.8%	-0.8%	85%	198,420
OUT OF STATE	117,896	13.8%	100%	14.4%	10.9%	15.6%	18.2%	100%	389,782

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
Automotive Stores
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)
ND = Non-Disclosable

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months \$\$
	2007 \$\$	% CHG 2006-2007	% Mnths Rptng	10 Oct	11 Nov	12 Dec	YR-TO- DATE	% Mnths Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	819,481	-2.0%	--	-0.5%	3.1%	-8.2%	0.1%	--	3,615,871
FARMINGTON	8,095	-0.8%	100%	-3.4%	15.3%	-12.0%	1.2%	100%	35,791
LEWISTON	47,144	1.8%	100%	13.3%	5.6%	-13.7%	2.3%	100%	216,329
LEWISTON SUB	5,033	-2.1%	100%	-3.4%	-1.7%	-1.3%	7.9%	92%	24,264
LIVERMORE	918	-12.5%	33%	ND	ND	-12.5%	-6.2%	33%	3,841
PARIS	10,168	-7.8%	100%	-3.1%	-4.4%	-15.1%	-3.8%	100%	48,158
RANGELEY	642	18.8%	33%	ND	ND	18.8%	23.1%	33%	2,302
RUMFORD	2,957	-2.1%	67%	-6.6%	ND	1.0%	3.7%	83%	11,083
ANDROSCOGGIN	74,956	-0.4%	76%	7.0%	8.5%	-11.4%	1.7%	77%	341,767
PORTLAND	112,538	-3.3%	100%	-1.0%	-6.2%	-3.1%	-1.4%	100%	496,950
PORTLAND SUB	40,908	-0.8%	100%	11.0%	-9.3%	-4.7%	0.1%	100%	166,559
SEBAGO LAKE	12,137	-9.9%	100%	-4.6%	-22.5%	-3.7%	-3.8%	100%	68,907
CUMBERLAND	165,583	-3.3%	100%	1.5%	-8.2%	-3.5%	-1.3%	100%	732,417
BAR HARBOR	5,102	86.9%	100%	54.8%	123.6%	111.8%	28.1%	100%	22,341
BLUE HILL	1,163	-33.2%	33%	ND	ND	-33.2%	-14.6%	50%	4,834
CALAIS	2,217	-18.9%	100%	-8.0%	1.5%	-37.4%	2.3%	92%	9,938
EASTPORT	558	16.6%	33%	ND	ND	16.6%	12.6%	25%	1,164
ELLSWORTH	21,506	-12.9%	100%	-12.9%	-15.0%	-11.0%	-3.6%	100%	100,193
JONESPORT	2,262	-11.0%	67%	ND	-13.8%	-9.7%	-4.5%	75%	7,670
MACHIAS	1,576	-17.1%	100%	-25.5%	-14.8%	-11.0%	-7.4%	83%	5,292
EASTERN ME	34,384	-6.1%	76%	-0.6%	1.8%	-6.3%	0.0%	75%	151,430
AUGUSTA	62,340	-6.4%	100%	4.0%	3.1%	-23.9%	0.8%	100%	289,220
JACKMAN	642	-0.5%	100%	-27.3%	-11.3%	33.5%	-0.5%	83%	2,407
PITTSFIELD	2,271	25.0%	100%	92.9%	47.1%	-15.9%	11.0%	83%	8,277
SKOWHEGAN	10,906	4.3%	100%	5.3%	17.1%	-6.3%	-4.3%	100%	45,469
WATERVILLE	25,621	3.9%	100%	5.3%	7.3%	-0.6%	1.0%	100%	117,410
KENNEBEC	101,780	-2.3%	100%	5.3%	6.0%	-16.3%	0.5%	93%	462,782
BELFAST	7,005	13.7%	100%	14.1%	24.8%	6.5%	4.6%	100%	29,178
BRUNSWICK	29,435	7.3%	100%	14.8%	1.2%	5.6%	-0.7%	100%	126,732
CAMDEN	3,986	-6.0%	100%	-29.7%	19.3%	3.8%	-2.0%	100%	16,428
DAMARISCOTTA	15,556	-13.0%	100%	-7.3%	-8.2%	-22.7%	-4.2%	100%	73,105
ROCKLAND	13,807	-10.2%	100%	-13.1%	-6.2%	-10.6%	-9.0%	100%	59,732
MID COAST	69,789	-1.8%	100%	-0.1%	-0.3%	-4.8%	-2.9%	100%	305,176
FORT KENT	5,194	8.4%	100%	-9.9%	6.6%	24.3%	-1.0%	100%	19,085
HOULTON	7,737	20.3%	100%	22.2%	26.9%	13.3%	16.5%	100%	30,632
MADAWASKA	735	10.6%	33%	ND	ND	10.6%	0.3%	33%	2,563
PATTEN	215	-11.4%	33%	ND	ND	-11.4%	6.8%	33%	820
PRESQUE ISLE	19,008	1.6%	100%	-0.1%	9.4%	-3.0%	0.6%	100%	79,205
NORTHERN ME	32,890	6.7%	73%	3.2%	12.7%	5.4%	3.7%	73%	132,304
BANGOR	91,800	-3.3%	100%	2.2%	-2.7%	-9.7%	-0.8%	100%	404,314
BANGOR SUB	26,170	-0.6%	100%	12.4%	7.1%	-15.8%	5.8%	100%	114,551
DOVER-FOXCROFT	9,654	3.5%	100%	-7.4%	35.7%	-11.4%	4.2%	100%	40,229
LINCOLN	6,476	-12.6%	100%	-5.9%	10.4%	-37.8%	-0.8%	100%	32,010
MILLINOCKET	2,111	4.5%	100%	-4.1%	5.3%	13.2%	-0.1%	92%	10,436
WINTERPORT	1,329	2.2%	100%	11.9%	-10.1%	4.2%	2.0%	92%	7,355
PENOBSCOT	137,540	-2.7%	100%	2.8%	2.0%	-12.2%	0.7%	97%	608,895
BIDDEFORD	36,921	-5.0%	100%	-4.1%	-5.5%	-32.7%	-5.0%	100%	180,928
FRYEBURG	2,723	5.3%	100%	76.8%	25.5%	12.4%	5.3%	100%	9,715
KENNEBUNK	8,826	-6.9%	100%	23.7%	-23.9%	-5.6%	-6.9%	100%	35,372
KITTERY	6,191	-1.3%	100%	-0.2%	-2.2%	-12.5%	-1.3%	100%	27,415
SANFORD	13,027	-6.7%	100%	-3.3%	-11.8%	-8.0%	-6.7%	100%	62,094
SOUTHERN ME	67,687	-9.4%	100%	1.1%	-8.1%	-21.1%	-4.9%	100%	315,524
OUT OF STATE	130,929	2.2%	100%	-12.7%	27.2%	2.2%	3.6%	100%	544,482

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
Restaurant & Lodging
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)
ND = Non-Disclosable

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months \$\$
	2007 \$\$	% CHG 2006-2007	% Mnths Rptng	10 Oct	11 Nov	12 Dec	YR-TO- DATE	% Mnths Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	519,263	0.1%	--	5.5%	2.5%	-7.7%	4.1%	--	2,554,597
FARMINGTON	4,288	1.3%	100%	4.8%	3.6%	-4.0%	1.9%	100%	19,068
LEWISTON	30,541	-2.4%	100%	3.9%	2.5%	-12.0%	2.8%	100%	126,319
LEWISTON SUB	2,005	4.4%	67%	ND	-5.7%	12.6%	8.3%	92%	14,185
LIVERMORE	838	-12.7%	33%	ND	ND	-12.7%	4.7%	83%	5,393
PARIS	3,941	2.4%	100%	7.8%	-2.1%	1.2%	3.9%	100%	18,889
RANGELEY	5,038	10.8%	67%	12.9%	ND	9.8%	6.0%	92%	27,146
RUMFORD	8,572	6.9%	100%	13.8%	7.7%	3.7%	4.8%	100%	37,562
ANDROSCOGGIN	55,222	0.7%	81%	6.1%	12.2%	-4.1%	3.8%	95%	248,562
PORTLAND	103,283	0.9%	100%	7.5%	5.0%	-9.0%	3.2%	100%	426,812
PORTLAND SUB	30,873	-1.3%	100%	1.9%	2.3%	-7.9%	2.8%	100%	145,002
SEBAGO LAKE	13,019	-4.5%	100%	-4.9%	-6.8%	-2.4%	-0.7%	100%	78,728
CUMBERLAND	147,175	-0.1%	100%	5.0%	3.4%	-8.2%	2.6%	100%	650,542
BAR HARBOR	16,042	8.2%	100%	8.6%	10.3%	4.5%	8.8%	100%	129,169
BLUE HILL	1,515	-11.3%	67%	0.3%	ND	-24.8%	0.0%	58%	13,973
CALAIS	1,513	-1.4%	67%	ND	10.1%	-9.5%	2.5%	83%	9,537
EASTPORT	703	3.7%	67%	ND	-11.3%	12.3%	7.6%	58%	3,889
ELLSWORTH	10,218	-1.9%	100%	2.5%	3.9%	-11.0%	2.2%	100%	48,414
JONESPORT	668	-12.8%	67%	4.4%	ND	-26.7%	-3.3%	42%	2,240
MACHIAS	2,119	-9.0%	100%	0.1%	-4.7%	-22.1%	2.1%	83%	7,761
EASTERN ME	32,779	1.6%	81%	6.3%	4.3%	-9.6%	5.9%	75%	214,983
AUGUSTA	26,493	2.0%	100%	10.6%	4.8%	-7.9%	3.4%	100%	112,173
JACKMAN	1,301	-6.1%	100%	-14.1%	-9.6%	5.2%	-1.2%	92%	8,722
PITTSFIELD	1,771	-3.2%	100%	-1.1%	2.5%	-10.0%	-7.0%	92%	7,412
SKOWHEGAN	5,858	5.2%	100%	11.1%	8.4%	-2.6%	9.1%	100%	26,106
WATERVILLE	17,440	0.4%	100%	3.0%	5.3%	-6.4%	4.5%	100%	77,632
KENNEBEC	52,863	1.4%	100%	6.9%	4.9%	-6.6%	3.9%	97%	232,045
BELFAST	4,947	-0.6%	100%	4.1%	0.4%	-7.0%	-1.2%	100%	23,274
BRUNSWICK	22,173	-1.1%	100%	4.0%	0.9%	-7.9%	3.5%	100%	106,074
CAMDEN	10,162	3.4%	100%	5.6%	2.9%	-1.0%	8.4%	100%	56,678
DAMARISCOTTA	9,818	-2.2%	100%	3.9%	2.3%	-14.6%	6.6%	100%	75,632
ROCKLAND	8,304	-0.3%	100%	-0.4%	7.5%	-5.5%	6.4%	100%	40,023
MID COAST	55,404	-0.4%	100%	3.7%	2.4%	-7.7%	5.2%	100%	301,681
FORT KENT	2,003	9.6%	100%	11.9%	9.4%	8.1%	4.8%	92%	8,490
HOULTON	3,397	14.4%	100%	22.2%	19.8%	1.9%	9.3%	100%	13,210
MADAWASKA	793	-17.7%	67%	-17.4%	ND	-17.9%	-6.9%	83%	4,774
PATTEN	567	-0.3%	67%	25.4%	ND	-17.8%	-5.1%	75%	2,834
PRESQUE ISLE	10,419	-2.9%	100%	0.1%	0.5%	-8.7%	1.9%	100%	43,170
NORTHERN ME	17,178	0.7%	87%	4.9%	5.2%	-6.3%	2.5%	90%	72,479
BANGOR	52,820	2.8%	100%	7.4%	6.4%	-5.0%	3.9%	100%	214,116
BANGOR SUB	5,455	0.9%	100%	12.7%	-0.7%	-10.0%	8.5%	100%	24,362
DOVER-FOXCROFT	3,265	-2.9%	100%	-10.5%	-4.8%	5.7%	3.6%	100%	16,473
LINCOLN	1,993	-6.5%	100%	-5.4%	-5.5%	-8.5%	-1.3%	100%	8,397
MILLINOCKET	1,336	-8.7%	67%	6.1%	ND	-21.0%	1.8%	83%	8,503
WINTERPORT	654	-39.6%	67%	-24.7%	ND	-50.9%	-21.7%	83%	4,170
PENOBSCOT	65,524	1.0%	89%	5.8%	4.9%	-6.7%	3.5%	94%	276,021
BIDDEFORD	21,105	8.1%	100%	6.0%	5.9%	-7.6%	8.1%	100%	133,699
FRYEBURG	1,978	-6.3%	100%	6.2%	-81.7%	-7.8%	-6.3%	67%	10,627
KENNEBUNK	15,973	5.7%	100%	4.8%	8.3%	-12.2%	5.7%	83%	82,203
KITTERY	38,163	5.8%	100%	8.2%	4.1%	-13.8%	5.8%	100%	263,567
SANFORD	9,259	1.9%	100%	0.8%	-3.0%	-10.5%	1.9%	83%	43,125
SOUTHERN ME	86,478	-1.6%	100%	6.4%	-3.1%	-11.0%	5.8%	87%	533,221
OUT OF STATE	1,965	-10.4%	100%	-14.9%	-6.1%	-8.2%	-0.9%	100%	6,870

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
FOURTH QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)
ND = Non-Disclosable
Restaurants

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months
	2007	% CHG	% Mnths	10	11	12	YR-TO-	% Mnths	
	\$	2006-2007	Rptng	Oct	Nov	Dec	DATE	Rptng	\$
STATE TOTAL	420,927	-1.4%	--	4.6%	0.9%	-9.3%	3.0%	--	1,912,858
FARMINGTON	4,006	1.1%	100%	4.7%	3.3%	-4.1%	1.8%	100%	17,399
LEWISTON	28,188	-3.1%	100%	3.2%	1.5%	-11.9%	2.4%	100%	116,081
LEWISTON SUB	1,859	6.4%	67%	ND	-0.5%	12.0%	12.3%	92%	11,860
LIVERMORE	821	-15.6%	33%	ND	ND	-15.6%	4.1%	83%	5,274
PARIS	3,456	2.9%	100%	8.3%	1.8%	-1.0%	4.3%	100%	15,418
RANGELEY	2,914	7.2%	67%	9.3%	ND	5.9%	6.7%	92%	15,466
RUMFORD	5,787	7.8%	100%	18.7%	6.1%	2.6%	6.3%	100%	24,596
ANDROSCOGGIN	47,031	-0.3%	81%	5.6%	10.3%	-6.3%	3.8%	95%	206,093
PORTLAND	85,545	-1.3%	100%	5.2%	3.5%	-10.6%	1.3%	100%	347,507
PORTLAND SUB	23,942	-3.1%	100%	-2.1%	-0.1%	-6.6%	1.6%	100%	108,518
SEBAGO LAKE	11,918	-5.0%	100%	-5.8%	-6.3%	-3.1%	-1.3%	100%	60,456
CUMBERLAND	121,405	-2.0%	100%	2.4%	1.8%	-9.1%	1.0%	100%	516,480
BAR HARBOR	8,237	12.2%	100%	18.3%	-0.1%	-21.9%	8.9%	100%	60,326
BLUE HILL	875	-20.3%	67%	-2.5%	ND	-43.7%	-3.3%	58%	7,814
CALAIS	1,249	-3.0%	67%	ND	8.0%	-11.3%	1.6%	83%	6,834
EASTPORT	490	-1.7%	67%	ND	-10.1%	5.6%	7.5%	58%	2,854
ELLSWORTH	8,100	-5.6%	100%	2.1%	0.5%	-19.0%	-0.6%	100%	37,858
JONESPORT	464	-17.5%	67%	8.6%	ND	-41.4%	-9.5%	42%	1,429
MACHIAS	1,820	-10.4%	100%	-0.5%	-4.9%	-25.6%	2.1%	83%	6,798
EASTERN ME	21,234	-0.8%	81%	10.6%	0.0%	-21.1%	4.0%	75%	123,913
AUGUSTA	23,870	1.1%	100%	8.9%	4.1%	-7.9%	3.0%	100%	99,746
JACKMAN	478	-16.0%	100%	-21.9%	-12.4%	-9.5%	-2.5%	92%	3,824
PITTSFIELD	1,607	-4.3%	100%	-2.3%	2.9%	-12.2%	-8.3%	92%	6,725
SKOWHEGAN	5,483	4.8%	100%	10.9%	7.7%	-2.9%	8.9%	100%	23,774
WATERVILLE	15,481	-0.7%	100%	1.3%	4.9%	-7.3%	3.6%	100%	66,209
KENNEBEC	46,918	0.5%	100%	5.6%	4.5%	-7.3%	3.4%	97%	200,278
BELFAST	4,047	-0.2%	100%	4.8%	0.2%	-6.1%	-1.3%	100%	17,787
BRUNSWICK	19,185	-3.0%	100%	1.6%	1.7%	-11.2%	2.4%	100%	86,571
CAMDEN	6,617	4.5%	100%	6.6%	3.5%	2.2%	9.6%	100%	33,819
DAMARISCOTTA	7,328	-2.8%	100%	2.3%	3.0%	-15.0%	7.1%	100%	48,787
ROCKLAND	6,752	-0.7%	100%	-2.5%	7.9%	-5.7%	3.8%	100%	31,371
MID COAST	43,928	-1.3%	100%	2.2%	3.0%	-8.9%	4.4%	100%	218,335
FORT KENT	1,716	8.9%	100%	10.8%	10.3%	6.6%	4.8%	92%	7,022
HOULTON	2,871	13.3%	100%	21.3%	17.7%	1.4%	7.4%	100%	10,996
MADAWASKA	742	-18.4%	67%	-16.0%	ND	-20.0%	-6.7%	83%	4,462
PATTEN	329	-17.4%	67%	18.0%	ND	-47.0%	-10.0%	75%	2,064
PRESQUE ISLE	9,148	-2.0%	100%	1.7%	1.2%	-8.0%	2.8%	100%	37,193
NORTHERN ME	14,805	0.4%	87%	5.3%	5.4%	-7.5%	2.5%	90%	61,737
BANGOR	43,857	0.8%	100%	5.8%	3.6%	-5.9%	2.5%	100%	177,862
BANGOR SUB	4,803	-1.2%	100%	12.3%	-3.1%	-12.1%	6.9%	100%	20,772
DOVER-FOXCROFT	2,356	-6.7%	100%	-3.5%	-4.5%	-11.7%	3.1%	100%	11,501
LINCOLN	1,745	-8.3%	100%	-5.9%	-8.7%	-10.3%	-1.4%	100%	7,468
MILLINOCKET	970	-11.5%	67%	2.9%	ND	-22.4%	-4.0%	83%	5,711
WINTERPORT	566	-33.5%	67%	-25.2%	ND	-42.5%	-20.3%	83%	3,635
PENOBSCOT	54,297	-0.8%	89%	4.6%	2.2%	-8.1%	2.1%	94%	226,950
BIDDEFORD	17,451	9.4%	100%	6.9%	4.4%	-10.8%	9.4%	100%	88,363
FRYEBURG	1,632	-10.4%	100%	9.3%	-81.9%	-7.9%	-10.4%	67%	6,792
KENNEBUNK	10,704	4.4%	100%	5.6%	5.7%	-12.3%	4.4%	83%	49,380
KITTERY	26,593	4.1%	100%	7.7%	1.4%	-16.4%	4.1%	100%	152,574
SANFORD	8,995	1.5%	100%	0.7%	-2.9%	-10.5%	1.5%	83%	40,038
SOUTHERN ME	65,375	-3.6%	100%	6.3%	-6.2%	-12.8%	4.9%	87%	337,146
OUT OF STATE	831	-1.6%	33%	ND	ND	-1.6%	2.4%	17%	3,270

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

MAINE TAXABLE SALES
FOURTH QUARTER 2007

(THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

Lodging
ND = Non-Disclosable

ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	4 CURRENT QUARTER			PERCENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007					PAST 12 Months \$\$
	2007 \$\$	% CHG 2006-2007	% Mnths Rptng	10 Oct	11 Nov	12 Dec	YR-TO- DATE	% Mnths Rptng	
STATE TOTAL	98,336	7.2%	--	8.5%	12.8%	1.4%	7.8%	--	641,739
FARMINGTON	282	3.4%	100%	6.5%	8.8%	-3.4%	2.6%	100%	1,668
LEWISTON	2,353	6.1%	100%	10.5%	16.9%	-12.9%	7.0%	100%	10,238
LEWISTON SUB	146	-16.6%	67%	ND	-47.2%	21.0%	-8.4%	92%	2,326
LIVERMORE	17	388.6%	33%	ND	ND	388.6%	37.7%	83%	119
PARIS	484	-0.7%	100%	3.0%	-39.9%	12.1%	2.2%	100%	3,471
RANGELEY	2,124	15.7%	67%	21.1%	ND	14.1%	5.1%	92%	11,680
RUMFORD	2,785	5.3%	100%	0.6%	16.9%	5.2%	2.1%	100%	12,966
ANDROSCOGGIN	8,191	6.9%	81%	9.1%	33.9%	6.0%	3.5%	95%	42,469
PORTLAND	17,737	12.6%	100%	16.1%	13.8%	4.2%	12.3%	100%	79,305
PORTLAND SUB	6,932	5.5%	100%	14.2%	13.0%	-13.2%	6.7%	100%	36,485
SEBAGO LAKE	1,101	0.9%	100%	3.2%	-25.2%	4.0%	1.3%	100%	18,273
CUMBERLAND	25,770	10.0%	100%	15.0%	12.9%	-1.4%	9.1%	100%	134,062
BAR HARBOR	7,805	4.3%	100%	-0.8%	32.9%	22.5%	8.7%	100%	68,843
BLUE HILL	640	4.8%	67%	6.2%	ND	3.5%	4.4%	58%	6,158
CALAIS	265	7.2%	67%	ND	24.1%	-1.3%	4.7%	83%	2,703
EASTPORT	213	18.7%	67%	ND	-28.4%	23.2%	7.8%	58%	1,035
ELLSWORTH	2,119	15.4%	100%	4.3%	30.3%	21.7%	13.4%	100%	10,556
JONESPORT	205	0.2%	67%	-10.8%	ND	6.5%	9.9%	42%	812
MACHIAS	299	-0.1%	100%	3.8%	-2.2%	-2.4%	1.6%	83%	962
EASTERN ME	11,545	6.3%	81%	0.0%	27.3%	16.7%	8.7%	75%	91,069
AUGUSTA	2,624	10.9%	100%	24.2%	11.6%	-7.3%	6.8%	100%	12,428
JACKMAN	823	0.7%	100%	-5.8%	-7.7%	11.6%	-0.1%	92%	4,897
PITTSFIELD	164	9.0%	100%	9.7%	-2.7%	18.8%	8.6%	92%	687
SKOWHEGAN	375	10.8%	100%	13.8%	21.7%	1.8%	11.2%	100%	2,332
WATERVILLE	1,960	10.0%	100%	13.7%	9.2%	3.9%	10.0%	100%	11,423
KENNEBEC	5,945	9.0%	100%	16.0%	7.9%	0.8%	7.2%	97%	31,767
BELFAST	901	-2.0%	100%	2.1%	1.8%	-11.3%	-0.8%	100%	5,486
BRUNSWICK	2,988	12.4%	100%	17.9%	-7.1%	18.2%	8.3%	100%	19,503
CAMDEN	3,545	1.3%	100%	4.4%	1.2%	-10.1%	6.8%	100%	22,860
DAMARISCOTTA	2,490	-0.4%	100%	7.6%	-5.2%	-13.8%	5.9%	100%	26,846
ROCKLAND	1,552	1.7%	100%	10.1%	4.1%	-5.2%	17.0%	100%	8,652
MID COAST	11,476	3.4%	100%	8.2%	-1.8%	-2.6%	7.3%	100%	83,346
FORT KENT	287	13.9%	100%	20.0%	2.7%	15.9%	4.8%	92%	1,468
HOULTON	526	20.4%	100%	27.9%	31.8%	4.4%	20.3%	100%	2,214
MADAWASKA	51	-6.8%	67%	-43.8%	ND	14.7%	-10.5%	83%	313
PATTEN	238	39.7%	67%	52.9%	ND	34.4%	11.0%	75%	770
PRESQUE ISLE	1,272	-9.2%	100%	-8.5%	-4.8%	-14.5%	-3.5%	100%	5,977
NORTHERN ME	2,372	2.5%	87%	2.5%	4.0%	1.6%	2.5%	90%	10,742
BANGOR	8,963	13.5%	100%	14.2%	20.7%	2.7%	11.5%	100%	36,254
BANGOR SUB	652	19.6%	100%	15.3%	29.7%	20.0%	18.9%	100%	3,590
DOVER-FOXCROFT	909	8.4%	100%	-29.8%	-6.1%	52.6%	4.7%	100%	4,971
LINCOLN	248	8.2%	100%	0.0%	21.3%	3.6%	-0.5%	100%	929
MILLINOCKET	366	-0.4%	67%	13.7%	ND	-16.2%	16.1%	83%	2,792
WINTERPORT	88	-62.0%	67%	-17.9%	ND	-67.8%	-30.1%	83%	534
PENOBSCOT	11,227	11.1%	89%	10.5%	19.5%	3.3%	10.5%	94%	49,071
BIDDEFORD	3,654	5.7%	100%	2.6%	19.9%	6.6%	5.7%	100%	45,336
FRYEBURG	346	1.0%	100%	-10.3%	-43.4%	-7.6%	1.0%	67%	3,836
KENNEBUNK	5,269	7.8%	100%	3.8%	17.0%	-11.8%	7.8%	83%	32,823
KITTERY	11,570	8.3%	100%	9.1%	13.5%	-5.8%	8.3%	100%	110,993
SANFORD	264	6.6%	100%	3.5%	-6.9%	-10.3%	6.6%	83%	3,087
SOUTHERN ME	21,102	5.1%	100%	6.6%	14.8%	-3.8%	7.4%	87%	196,075
OUT OF STATE	33	-66.0%	33%	ND	ND	-66.0%	-54.1%	17%	98

* Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

DEFINITIONS OF ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREAS (ESA's) AND DISTRICTS

SOUTHERN MAINE ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT

KITTERY ESA	KENNEBUNK ESA	BIDDEFORD ESA	SANFORD ESA	FRYEBURG ESA
Cape Neddick	Arundel	Bar Mills	Acton	Baldwin
Eliot	Cape Porpoise	Biddeford	Alfred	Brownfield
Highpine	Kennebunk	Buxton	Berwick	Cornish
Kittery	Kennebunkport	Dayton	E Lebanon	Denmark
Moody		Hollis	Emery Mills	Fryeburg
Ogunquit		Limington	Goodwins Mills	Hiram
South Berwick		Ocean Park	Lebanon	Kezar Falls
Webbhanet		Old Orchard Beach	Limerick	Lovell
Wells		Saco	Lyman	Parsonfield
York			Maplewood	Porter
			Newfield	Stoneham
			North Berwick	Stow
			Sanford	Sweden
			Shapleigh	
			South Lebanon	
			Springvale	
			Waterboro	
			West Lebanon	

CUMBERLAND ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT

PORTLAND ESA	PORTLAND SUBURBAN	SEBAGO LAKE ESA
Cliff Isl	Bustins Isl	Bolster Mill
Cumberland Mills	Cape Elizabeth	Bridgton
Great Diamond Isl	Chebeague Isl	Casco
Long Island	Cousins Isl	Convene
Peaks Island	Cumberland	Crescent Lake
Portland	Falmouth	Douglas Hill
South Portland	Freeport	Dry Mills
Westbrook	Gorham	E Sebago
	North Yarmouth	Gray
	Pine Point	Harrison
	Pownal	Hillside
	Prouts Neck	Naples
	Scarborough	North Sebago
	Yarmouth	Raymond
		Sebago
		Sebago Lake
		Standish
		Steep Falls
		Windham

ANDROSCOGGIN ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT

LEWISTON-AUBURN ESA	PARIS ESA	RUMFORD ESA	FARMINGTON ESA	LIVERMORE ESA	RANGELEY ESA
Auburn	Albany Twp	Andover	Allens Mil	Canton	Adamstown
Danville	Bryant Pond	Bethel	Avon	Chisholm	Bald Mtn
Lewiston	Buckfield	Byron	Chesterfield	E Livermore	Carrab. Valley
Lisbon	Greenwood	Carthage	Dryden	Fayette	Coburn Gore
	Hartford	Dixfield	E Dixfield	Jay	Coplin Plt
LEWISTON-AUB SUBURBAN	Hebron	Frye	Farmington	Livermore	Dallas
Curtis Corner	Locke Mills	Gilead	Industry	Livermore Falls	Eustis
Durham	Norway	Hanover	New Sharon		Freeman Twp
Greene	Otisfield	Mexico	New Vineyard		Grants
Intervale	Oxford	Milton Plt	Phillips		Kennebago Lake
Leeds	Paris	Newry	Strong		Kingfield
Mechanic Falls	Sumner	Peru	Temple		Lincoln Plt
Minot	Waterford	Ridlonville	Weld		Madrid
New Gloucester	Welchville	Riley	Wilton		Magalloway Plt
Poland	West Paris	Roxbury			Oquossoc
Sabbathday Lake	Woodstock	Rumford			Pleasant Isl

DEFINITIONS OF ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREAS (ESA's) AND DISTRICTS

KENNEBEC ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT

AUGUSTA ESA	WATERVILLE ESA	SKOWHEGAN ESA	PITTSFIELD ESA	JACKMAN ESA
Augusta	Albion	Anson	Burnham	Bingham
Chelsea	Belgrade	Athens	Cambridge	Brighton Plt
Coopers Mills	Benton	Canaan	Detroit	Caratunk
Farmingdale	China	Cornville	Hartland	Concord Typ
Gardiner	Clinton	Emden	Palmyra	Dennistown
Hallowell	Fairfield	Harmony	Pittsfield	Highland Plt
Hibberts Gore	Freedom	Lakewood	Ripley	Holeb
Kents Hill	Hinckley	Madison	St. Albans	Jackman
Litchfield	Oakland	Mercer		Lake Moxie
Manchester	Palermo	New Portland		Lexington Twp
Monmouth	Rome	Norridgewock		Long Pond Twp
Mount Vernon	Shawmut	Skowhegan		Moose River
Pittston	Sidney	Solon		Moscow
Randolph	Smithfield	Starks		Ogontz
Readfield	Thorndike			Pleasant Rd.
Richmond	Troy			Rockwood
Somerville	Unity			The Forks Plt
Vienna	Unity Twp			Wyman Dam
Wayne	Vassalboro			W. Forks Plt
West Gardiner	Waterville			
Whitefield	Weeks Mills			
Windsor	Winslow			
Winthrop				

MID COAST ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT

BRUNSWICK ESA	DAMARISCOTTA ESA	ROCKLAND ESA	CAMDEN ESA	BELFAST ESA
Arrowsic	Alna	Clark Isl	Appleton	Bayside
Bailey Island	Bayville	Criehaven	Burketville	Belfast
Bath	Boothbay	Cushing	Camden	Belmont
Birch Island	Boothbay Hbr	Friendship	Dark Harbor	Brooks
Bowdoin	Bremen	Lawry	Glen Cove	Jackson
Bowdoinham	Bristol	Long Cove	Hope	Knox
Brunswick	Capitol Isl	Matinicus Plt	Isleboro	Liberty
Cedar Grove	Chamberlain	North Haven	Lincolnvile	Monroe
Cundys Hbr	Christmas Cove	Owls Head	Pripset	Montville
Dresden	Damariscotta	Pleasant Pt	Rockport	Morrill
Five Islands	Damariscotta Mills	Port Clyde		Northport
Georgetown	Edgecomb	Rockland		Searsmont
Harpswell	Head Tide	So Thomaston		Swansville
Macmahan	Jefferson	Sprucehead		Waldo
Merepoint	Loudville	St. George		
Orrs Island	Medomak	Tenants Harbor		
Pejeboscot	Monhegan Plt	Thomaston		
Perkins Twp	New Harbor	Union		
Phippsburg	Newagen	Vinalhaven		
Popham Beach	Newcastle	Warren		
Robinhood	Nobleboro	Washington		
Sebasco Estates	Ocean Point			
Small Pt Bea	Pemaquid			
Topsham	Round Pond			
West Bath	Sheepscot			
West Point	South Bristol			
Woolwich	Southport			
	Squirrel Island			
	Trevett			
	Waldoboro			
	Walpole			
	Westport			
	Winslow Mills			
	Wiscasset			

DEFINITIONS OF ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREAS (ESA's) AND DISTRICTS

EASTERN MAINE ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT

ELLSWORTH ESA	BLUE HILL ESA	BAR HARBOR ESA	JONESPORT ESA	MACHIAS ESA	CALAIS ESA
Amherst	Blue Hill	Atlantic	Addison	Bucks Harbor	Alexander
Ashville	Brooklyn	Bar Harbor	Beals	Cutler	Baileyville
Aurora	Brooksville	Bass Harbor	Beddington	E Machias	Baring Plt
Birch Harbor	Cape Rosier	Bernard	Centerville	Jacksonville	Brookton
Bucksport	Castine	Cranberry Isl	Cherryfield	Larrabee	Calais
Corea	Deer Isle	Frenchboro	Columbia	Machias	Charlotte
Dedham	Harborside	Hall Quarry	Columbia Falls	Machiasport	Codyville Plt
Eastbrook	Isle Au Haut	Hulls Cove	Deblois	Marshfield	Cooper
Ellsworth	Little Deer Isl	Isleford	Harrington	Northfield	Crawford
Franklin	Lookout	Long Island Plt	Jonesboro	Roque Bluffs	Forest Sta
Gouldsboro	Oceanville	Manset	Jonesport	Starboard	Grand Lake Sta
Great Pond	Penobscot	Minturn	Milbridge	Wesley	Grove
Green Lake	Sargentville	Mount Desert	Steuben	Whiting	Lambert Lake
Hancock	Sedgwick	Northeast Harbor	Unionville	Whitneyville	Meddybemps
Lamoine	Stonington	Otter Creek			Milltown
Mariaville	Sunset	Salisbury Cove		EASTPORT ESA	No. 21 Plt
Orland		Seal Cove		Ayers	Princeton
Osborn Plt		Seal Harbor		Dennysville	Red Beach
Otis		Southwest Hbr		Eastport	Robbinston
Prospect Harbor		Swans Isl		Edmunds Twp	Talmadge
Sorrento		Tremont		Lubec	Topsfield
Sullivan				No. 14 Plt	Vanceboro
Surry				Pembroke	Waite
Trenton				Perry	Woodland (04694)
Verona				Trescott Twp	
Waltham					
Winter Harbor					

PENOBSCOT ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT

WINTERPORT ESA	BANGOR ESA	BANGOR SUB. ESA	DOVER-FOX. ESA	LINCOLN ESA	MILLINOCKET ESA
Frankfort	Bangor	Alton	Abbott	Burlington	E Millinocket
Prospect	Brewer	Argyle Twp	Atkinson	Carroll Plt	Grindstone
Sandy Point	Great Works	Bradley	Barnard Plt	Chester	Medway
Searsport	Indian Isl Sta	Cardville	Beaver Cove	Drew Plt	Millinocket
Stockton Springs	Old Town	Carmel	Blanchard	Edinburg	West Seboeis
Winterport	Orono	Clifton	Bowerbank	Enfield	Woodville
	Stillwater	Corinna	Bradford	Grand Falls	
	Veazie	Corinth	Brownville	Howland	
		Costigan	Charleston	Kingman Twp	
		Dixmont	Chesuncook Twp	Lee	
		E Eddington	Derby	Lincoln	
		Eddington	Dexter	Lowell	
		Etna	Dover-Foxcroft	Mattawamkeag	
		Exeter	Elliotsville	Maxfield	
		Glenburn	Garland	Passadumkeag	
		Greenbush	Greenville	Saponac	
		Greenfield	Guilford	Sebeis Plt	
		Hampden	Kingsbury	Springfield	
		Hampden Hights	Lagrange	Webster Plt	
		Hermion	Lakeview Plt	Winn	
		Holden	Medford		
		Hudson	Milo		
		Kenduskeag	Monson		
		Levant	Northeast Carry Twp		
		Milford	Onawa		
		Newburgh	Orneville Twp		
		Newport	Parkman		
		Olamon	Sangerville		
		Orrington	Sebec		
		Plymouth	Sebec Lake		
		Stetson	Sebec Sta		
			Shirley		

DEFINITIONS OF ECONOMIC SUMMARY AREAS (ESA's) AND DISTRICTS

NORTHERN MAINE ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT

HOULTON ESA	PATTEN ESA	PRESQUE ISLE ESA	MADAWASKA ESA	FORT KENT ESA
Amity	Benedicta	Ashland	Cyr Plt.	Allagash
Bancroft	Crystal	Blaine	Grand Isle	Eagle Lake
Cary Plt.	Dyer Brook	Bridgewater	Hamlin	Estcourt Sta.
Danforth	Hersey	Caribou	Keegan	Frenchville
Eaton	Island Falls	Castle Hill	Lille	Ft. Kent
Forest City	Merrill	Caswell Plt.	Madawaska	Guerette
Glenwood	Monarda	Chapman	St. David	New Canada Plt.
Hammond Plt.	Moro Plt.	Clayton Lake	Van Buren	Plaisted
Haynesville	Mount Chase	Connor Twp.		Quimby
Hodgdon	Oakfield	Crouseville		Sinclair
Houlton	Patten	E Plt.		Soldier Pond
Linneus	Sherman	Easton		St. Agatha
Littleton	Shin Pond	Ft. Fairfield		St. Francis
Ludlow	Silver Ridge Twp.	Garfield Plt.		St. John Plt.
Macwahoc Plt.	Smyrna	Limestone		Upper Frenchville
Molunkus Twp.	Smyrna Mills	Loring AFB		Wallagrass Plt.
Monticello	Stacyville	Mapleton		Winterville Plt.
New Limerick		Mars Hill		
Orient		Masardis		
Reed Plt.		Nashville Plt.		
Selden		Oxbow Plt.		
Weston		Perham		
Wytotitlock		Portage Lake		
		Prentiss Plt.		
		Presque Isle		
		Robinston		
		Sheridan		
		Stockholm		
		Wade		
		Washburn		
		Westfield		
		Westmanland Plt.		
		Woodland		

DEFINITIONS OF STORE-TYPE GROUPS

Note: In Maine's sales tax system, codings are by store type, not product. Thus, each store is coded into one of the store-type groups below depending on its predominant product; i.e., furniture sold by a furniture store will be included in General Merchandise sales while furniture sold by a hardware store will be included in Building Supply sales.

- | | |
|--------------------------|--|
| 1. Consumer Retail Sales | Taxable retail sales to consumers. |
| 2. Total Retail Sales | Includes Consumer Retail Sales plus special types of business-to-business sales and rentals where the tax is paid directly by the buyer (such as commercial or industrial heating oil purchases). |
| 3. Building Supply | Durable equipment sales, contractors' sales, hardware stores and lumber yards. |
| 4. Food Stores | All food stores from large supermarkets to small corner food stores. The values here are snacks and non-food items, only, since food intended for home consumption is not taxed. For any geographic area, the taxable values shown will typically represent roughly 25% of actual store sales (since three-fourths of all food store sales are not taxed). |
| 5. General Merchandise | In this group are department stores and stores carrying product lines typically found in department stores; including clothing stores, furniture stores, shoe stores, and home appliance stores. |
| 6. Other Retail | This group includes a wide variety of store types not covered elsewhere, including drug stores, jewelry stores, sporting goods stores, antique dealers, book stores, photo supply stores, gift shops, etc. |
| 7. Auto | This group includes all transportation-related stores, including auto dealers, auto parts stores, motorcycle shops, aircraft dealers, boat dealers, auto rental, etc. |
| 8. Restaurants | Includes all stores selling food for immediate consumption. |
| 9. Lodging | Includes hotels, motels, campgrounds, bed & breakfasts, etc. |